(Rs. in crore)

	1998-1999	1999-2000	2000-2001
2.	Telecommunications (1149.23)	Fuels (Power & Oil Refinery) (835.86)	Telecommunications (1126.90)
3.	Chemicals (other than fertilizers) (1100.78)	Electrical Equipment (531.52)	Transportation Industry (864.78)
4.	Electrical Equipment (908.68)	Food Processing Industries (497.54)	Chemicals (Other than fertilizers) (497.54)
5.	Service Sector (859.08)	Service Sector (250.03)	fuels (Power & Oil Refinery) (392.83)

(Figures do not take into account the amount of FDI approved for ADRs/GDRs/FCCBs, RBIs—NRI Schemes, acquisition of existing shares and advance pending for allotment of shares, as these are not categorised sector-wise)

Study on Competitiveness of Indian Industry

21. SHRI R.P. GOENKA: Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether some special studies have been undertaken recently on improving competitiveness of Indian Industry in certain select segments;

(b) if so, the details thereof including the time-frame fixed for such studies; and

(c) the details of consultancy agencies, private sector interests in trade and industry Non-Governmental Organisations, if any associated with these studies?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (DR. RAMAN SINGH): (a) Yes Sir.

(b) and (c) Studies are being undertaken on cement, paper and

capital goods industry in consultation with respective Industries' Associations. three months' time-frame has been fixed for submission of report from the date of award.

Wheat export to Sri Lanka

22. SHRIMATI JAYAPRADA NAHATA: Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether India is supplying wheat to Sri Lanka and an agreement was reached for the same during Sri Lankay Prime Minister's visit to India in December, 2001; and

(b) if so, the quantity of wheat to be supplied and the details of the agreement in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI RAJIV PRATAP RUDY): (a) and (b) During the Sri Lankan Prime Minister's visit to India from December 22—24 2001, an agreement was reached for supply of 25,000 tonnes of wheat per month from India to Sri Lanka for the next twelve months under a line of credit on mutually agreed terms.

US investment in India

23. SHRI B. J. PANDA: Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) proposals cleared by the Ministry in this financial year and the amount thereof;

(b) the major investment proposal relating to ISP and other related service; and

(c) the details of US based proposals?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (DR. RAMAN SINGH): (a) and (b) A total number of 1511 Foreign Direct Investment (FDI)